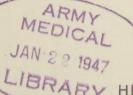


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Occupied Germany:

Communicable Diseases: Attached as Appendix "A", "B" and "C" are cased death communicable disease reports, case rates by Regierungsbezirk and by Land for the week ending 16 February 1946.

Although the incidence of communicable diseases continued to show a downward trend, gonorrhea and syphilis showed a decided rise and the incidence of scabies continued to remain high throughout the U. S. Zone.

Land Bavaria attributed the rise in the number of reported venereal disease cases to the widespread information through the public press on the availability of pencillin treatment. Land Bavaria also reported an increase in the number of typhus cases which occurred in the main in returned prisoners of war or refugees from the Eastern areas.

The U.S. Sector in Berlin reported a decrease of 10 cases of typhoid and paratyphoid fever as compared with the last week.

Conferences were held by public health officials in Württemberg-Baden with representatives of the Ministry of the Interior to expedite the unification of the public health system.

Nutrition: Reports from Munich and Kassel show normal consumer caloric intake to be 2172 and 1789 calories respectively. Ration as issued was 1637 and 1607 calories respectively.

Adult weights for Munich showed a slight drop for all age groups for both male and female. For all age groups in Kassel a slight gain was reflected except in males from 40 to 59 years of age which showed a slight drop.

Nursing: The nursing consultant visited the children's homes, children's hospitals, old age homes and venereal disease installations in the U.S. Sector in Berlin.

Veterinary Activities: To further the efforts of the Veterinary Preventive Medicine program in the United States Zone, the Veterinary Personnel of Military Government have assisted in the production of biologics necessary to combat canine distemper. The causative organism has been isolated from locally infected dogs and is being used to produce serum and virus.

Vaccine to prevent Borna's disease (encephalomyelitis) in horses is again being produced at the Veterinary laboratory at Giessen.

APPENDIX "A"

Communicable Disease Report United States Zone of Germany for Week Ending 16 Feb. 1946

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APPENDIX "B"

Communicable Disease Report (by Land) United States Zone of Germany for Week Ending 16 February 1946

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	Rabies	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	1			in
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